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MISS RUTLAND begs to inform her friends and the ladies generally that she received per last Dakota an assortment of fashionable millinery, straw hats and bonnets; also, felts of the newest shapes, flowers, feathers, ribbons, silk, black and colored silk velvets, &c., &c. Ladies' underclothing and baby linen always on hand. Fort street, Oct. 5th, 1877. *

BROWN & WHITE beg to call attention to the new and fashionable shapes in ladies' and children's felt and straw hats and bonnets, which they have just received, comprising the Mother Hubbard, Pera, Shipton, Kars, Peabody and other late styles; also, flowers and feathers in all the new shades; millinery ornaments in great variety bonnet and hat shapes, laces, Turquoise silks, &c., &c *

OLD CHICORY is almost a thing of the past. Finlayson's Coffee presides over the present. It has now superseded what used to be claimed as "superior to and other manufactured on this coast," and will soon be found on every well-furnished table in the Province. Prepared at his premises on Fort street, and sold by all the principal dealers.

DR. J. CALDER, Dentist, has returned from a professional tour on the Mainland and is now ready to wait on those who may require his services. Office on Fort street.

PIANO TUNING AND REPAIRING.—Orders left with M. W. Waitt & Co., Government street, or P.O. box 145, will be promptly attended to by Oliver H. Goodwin. 3m*

REMOVAL.—Dr. Cool, Dentist, has removed his office to Fort street, opposite the Mechanics Literary Institute Building. * *

Ships and Steamers.

For Yale and Way Ports.

THE FAST AND FAVORITE steamer
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Leaves New Westminster for Yale and Way Ports on Wednesday and Saturday, and returns from Yale to New Westminster on Monday and Friday.
For Freight or Passage enquire on board. my30

NOTICE.

NEITHER CAPT. ANGEL NOR THE UNDERSigned, will be responsible for any debts incurred by the crew of the barque Halton Castle, from Liverpool. WELCH, RITHET & Co.
Victoria, B.C., Sept. 15th. se16

Notice to Shipowners and Captains.

THE STEAM TUG
Beaver,
CAPTAIN J. D. WARREN,
Having been thoroughly overhauled and fitted with new boilers and other improvements, is now prepared to tow ships in British Columbia waters.
For rates apply on board, or to
HENRY SAUNDERS, Agent,
oc27 Johnson street, Victoria.

FOR CASSIAR & SITKA MINES

THE MAIL STEAMSHIP
CALIFORNIA,
CHARLES THORN, Master,
Having superior accommodation for Passengers, will leave Victoria for Wrangel and Sitka on or about
MONDAY, NOV. 5th,
Returning, will leave Victoria for Astoria, Portland (Oregon) on or about the 20th.
For Freight or Passage apply to
J. P. GOODHUE, Agent,
oc25 Office at P. McQuade & Son's.

NOTICE.

McALLISTER BROS.
BEG TO INFORM OWNERS & Masters of Ships that the
POWERFUL STEAM-TUG
"Alexander"
Will be ready on or about the 15th May
To Tow Ships entering the Straits of Juan de Fuca, to and from any Port in British Columbia.
Ship masters will find it to their advantage to secure this Boat, as she is one of the most powerful vessels of the kind afloat, as well as having **Double Disconnecting Engines**, which is a guarantee of safety to ships in tow of her.
For terms apply on board at DICKSON, CAMPBELL & CO'S Wharf.
Victoria, May 9th. my10

H. B. Co.'s Barque Brierley Hill, Captain Baird, from London.

NEITHER THE CAPTAIN NOR THE HUDson Bay Company will be responsible for any debts contracted by the crew of the above vessel.
For the Hudson Bay Company,
WM. CHARLES.
Victoria, B.C., Nov. 5, 1877. no6

Bark Southern Ocean, from Japan.

NEITHER CAPTAIN HUXTABLE NOR the owners of the bark Southern Ocean will be responsible for any debts contracted by the crew of the above vessel. CAPT. HUXTABLE.
Victoria, Oct. 20, 1877. oc21

Ship "Cape Clear," from San Francisco.

NEITHER CAPT. TUPMAN NOR THE undersigned will be responsible for any debts contracted by the crew of the above vessel.
WELCH, RITHET & CO., Agents.
Wharf st., 17th Sept., 1877. se18

NOTICE—BARK BRIERLY HILL.

THE HUDSON'S BAY COMPANY'S BARK Brierly Hill, Capt. Baird, from London.
This vessel will commence discharging on Thursday morning, the 8th November.
Consignees are requested to call at the Cashier's office of the Company, pay freight and receive orders for their goods.
All goods left on the Company's wharf at Victoria after 5 o'clock p.m. of each day will be stored at the risk and expense of the owners.
For the Hudson's Bay Co.
no8 WM. CHARLES.

REDUCTION IN FARES
To San Francisco,
Per Pacific Mail Steamship Company's Steamers, from this date:
CABIN..... $20 OC
STEERAGE..... $10 OO
ENGELHARDT & CO., Agents.
Victoria, Oct. 28, 1877. oc28

Miscellaneous.

BRITISH COLONIST

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mh10 LONDON MARKET

"Assessment Act, 1876."

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that the Assessments under this Act for the year 1877 are now due, and all whom it may concern are required to call at the office of the Collector for the City of Victoria, on Government street, and settle their accounts immediately.
J. E. McMILLAN,
oc4 Collector.

JAMES SYME,
ARCHITECT
MASONIC BUILDING, GOVERNMENT ST.,
jo2 m VICTORIA, B. C.

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Notices.

Appointments.

PROVINCIAL SECRETARY'S OFFICE,
17th November, 1877.

HIS EXCELLENCY the Lieutenant-Governor has been pleased to appoint the Warden and Councillors of the "Corporation of the Township of Langley," and their successors, to be Trustees of the Langley Public Cemetery, under and to carry out the provisions of the "Cemetery Ordinance, 1870," no18

NOTICE.

ON and after the 1st of October next, all Mining Claims in the Cassiar District will be laid over till the 15th of June, 1878, subject to the 9th Section of the "Gold Amendment Act, 1872."
A. W. VOWELL,
Gold Commissioner.
Laketon, September 25th, 1877. no11

TO THE PUBLIC.

AT THE REQUEST OF THE PROPRIETOR of THEATRE ROYAL, we have this day examined that building, and pronounce the same to be perfectly safe for any number of people that may CROWD into it.
JOHN TEAGUE,
EDWARD MALLANDAINE,
THOS. TROUNCE,
Architects.
SMITH & CLARK,
D. F. ADAMS,
HAYWARD & JENKINSON
MUIRHEAD & MANN,
GEORGE BAKER,
P. D. FORBES,
Builders
Victoria, Feb. 10th, 1876. fe20tf

[L.S.] A. N. RICHARDS.
VICTORIA, by the Grace of God, of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, QUEEN, Defender of the Faith, &c., &c.
To the Returning Officer of the Electoral District of Kootenay.
Whereas a vacancy has occurred in the Legislative Assembly by the death of William Cosgrove Milby, Esq., a Member of the Electoral District of Kootenay.
We command you that, notice of the time and place of Election being duly given, you do cause Election to be made according to law, of one Member to serve in the Legislative Assembly of the Province of British Columbia for the Electoral District of Kootenay, and that you do cause the nomination of Candidates at such Election to be held on the day of next, and do cause the name of such Member when so elected, whether he be present or absent, to be certified to Our Supreme Court at the City of Victoria, on or before the 1st day of February next, the Election so made, distinctly and openly under Our Seal duly endorsed upon this Our Writ.
IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF We have caused these Our Letters to be made Patent under the Great Seal of Our said Province of British Columbia. WITNESS the Honorable ALBERT NORTON RICHARDS, Our Lieutenant-Governor, at Our Government House, at Victoria, the twenty-ninth day of October, in the Year of Our Lord One thousand eight hundred and seventy-seven.
By Command,
HENRY S. MASON,
no4 Deputy Registrar Supreme Court.

PUBLIC NOTICE.

SEALED TENDERS WILL BE RECEIVED by A. W. Vowell, Esq., Gold Commissioner, Cassiar District, at Laketon, up to 12 o'clock noon on the 10th June, 1878, for the Right of Maintaining a Ferry for the term of five (5) years across Rapid River, at a point intersected by the trail from Sylvester's Landing to Walker's Creek.
The said Ferry to be capable of carrying not less than ten (10) pack animals and their loads. The Ferry right to extend five (5) miles above and five (5) miles below the crossing.
Tenders to state the rent proposed, the rate of toll for passengers, animals and freight.
Officers and Freight of the Provincial Government to pass free.
The lowest or any Tender not necessarily accepted.
F. GEO. VERNON,
Chief Commissioner of Lands & Works.
Lands & Works Deptm't,
Victoria, 7th Nov., 1877. no8

PUBLIC NOTICE.

SOUTH DIVISION OF SALT SPRING ISLAND.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, in accordance with clause 23 "Land Act, 1875," that all the surveyed, unreserved vacant Crown Land situate within the boundaries of the South Division of Salt Spring Island, as defined on the official map in the Land Office, Victoria, with the exception of the undermentioned sub divisions, will be open for preemption and purchase at 10 o'clock a.m. on Saturday, the 6th October, 1877, at the office of John Morley, Esq., J.P., Maple Bay:—

N. W. ¼	Section	32.
N. E. ¼	"	33.
S. W. ¼	"	38.
	"	37.
E. ½	"	51.
W. ½	"	52.
N. W. ¼	"	55.
S. ½	"	55.
	"	69.
N. ½	"	70.
S. W. ¼	"	78.
N. ½	"	78.
S. ½	"	79.
S. ½	"	86.

F. GEO. VERNON,
Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works.
Lands and Works Dept.,
Victoria, Sept. 29th, 1877. se30

NOTICE.

In the matter of the Estate and Effects of Alexander Brown, North Thompson River, deceased, intestate.
ALL PERSONS WHO ARE INDEBTED to the above estate are required to pay the amounts forthwith; and all persons who have any claims against the above estate are requested to send in their accounts on or before the 20th day of December, 1877. JOHN T. EDWARDS,
Official Administrator.
Kamloops, B.C., 8th Oct., 1877. oc14dw3m

Administrator's Notice.

ALL PERSONS HAVING CLAIMS AGAINST the Estate of Antoine Brousseau, deceased, are requested to send in the same to the undersigned at Quesnelle Mouth, on or before the 15th day of December, 1877; and all persons indebted to the estate are requested to make immediate payment to
ROBT. P. PACEY, Executor.
Quesnelle, Oct. 10, 1877. dwno4

New Custom House Blanks
FOR SALE IN ANY QUANTITY
At the COLONIST OFFICE

Notices.

LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY.

PRIVATE BILLS.

ALL APPLICATIONS FOR PRIVATE Bills, properly the subject of legislation by the Legislative Assembly of British Columbia, within the purview of the "British North America Act, 1867," whether for the erection of a Bridge, the making of a Railroad, Turnpike Road, or Telegraph Line; the construction or improvement of a Harbor, Canal, Lock, Dam, or Slide, or other like work; the granting of a right of Ferry; the incorporation of any particular trade or calling, or of any Joint Stock Co; or otherwise for granting to any individual or individuals any exclusive or peculiar rights or privileges whatever, or for doing any matter or thing which in its operation would affect the rights or property of other parties, or relate to any particular class of the community; or for making any amendment of a like nature to any former Act,—shall require a Notice, clearly and distinctly specifying the nature and object of the application to be published as follows:—
A notice inserted in the BRITISH COLUMBIA GAZETTE and in one newspaper published in the District affected, or if there be no newspaper published therein, then in a newspaper in the next nearest District in which a newspaper is published.
Such notice shall be continued in each case for a period of at least six weeks, during the interval of time between the close of the next preceding Session and the consideration of the Petition.
Before any Petition, praying for leave to bring in a Private Bill for the erection of a Toll Bridge is presented to the House, the person or persons intending to petition for such Bill shall, upon giving the notice prescribed by the preceding rule, also at the same time and in the same manner, give notice of the rates which they intend to ask, the extent of the privilege, the height of the arches, the interval between the abutments or piers for the passage of rafts and vessels, and mentioning also whether they intend to erect a drawbridge or not, and the dimensions of the same.
J. ROLAND HETT,
Clerk of the Legislative Assembly.
House of Assembly, Victoria. my24

PROCLAMATION.

[L.S.] A. N. RICHARDS.
CANADA.
PROVINCE OF BRITISH COLUMBIA
VICTORIA, by the Grace of God, of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, QUEEN, Defender of the Faith, &c., &c., &c.
To Our faithful the Members elected to serve in the Legislative Assembly of Our Province, of British Columbia, and summoned and called to a meeting of the Legislature or Parliament of Our said Province, at our City of Victoria, on Thursday, the Twenty-fifth day of October instant, to have been commenced and held, and every of you—GREETING.

A PROCLAMATION.

A. C. ELLIOTT, Attorney-General. } WHEREAS the meeting of the Legislature or Parliament of the Province of British Columbia, stands called for Thursday, the Twenty-fifth day of October instant, at which time, at Our City of Victoria, you were held and constrained to appear.
NOW KNOW YE that for divers causes and considerations, and taking into consideration the ease and convenience of Our loving subjects, we have thought fit, by and with the advice of Our Executive Council of the Province of British Columbia, to relieve you, and each of you, of your attendance at the time aforesaid; hereby convoking, and by these presents enjoining you, and each of you, that on Thursday, the Twenty-ninth day of November next, you meet Us in Our Legislature or Parliament of the said Province, at our City of Victoria, and therein do as may seem necessary. Herein fail not.
IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, We have caused these Our Letters to be made Patent, and the Public Seal of the said Province to be hereunto affixed. Witness the Honorable ALBERT NORTON RICHARDS Lieutenant-Governor of Our said Province of British Columbia, in Our City of Victoria, in Our said Province, this twelfth day of October, in the Year of Our Lord one thousand, eight hundred and seventy-seven, and in the fortieth year of Our Reign.
By Command,
HENRY S. MASON,
Deputy Registrar Supreme Court. oc14

SALE BY AUCTION OF LOTS.
IN THE
TOWN OF HASTINGS,
NEW WESTMINSTER DISTRICT.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that Mr. James Morrison will sell by public auction at the Land Office, New Westminster, by order of the Provincial Government, on Wednesday, the 28th November, 1877, at 12 o'clock, noon, the undermentioned lots in the Town of Hastings, Burrard Inlet:—
LOTS—10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 45, 47, 48, 49, 50, 53, 54, 55, 56, 57, 58, 59, 60, 61, 62, 63, 64, 66, 67, 68, 69, 70, 73, 74, 75, 76, 77, 78, 79, 80, 82, 83, 86, 88, 90, 91, 93, 94, 95, 97, 98, 99, 101, 102, 103, 105, 106, 107, 109, 110, 112, 113, 114, 115, 116, 117, 119, 120, 121, 122, 123, 131, 132, 133, 135, 136, 137, 138, 139, 140, 142, 143, 144, 146, 147, 148, 149, 150, 151, 152, 153, 154, 155, 156, 157, 158, 159, 161, 162, 163, 164, 165, 166, 167, 168, 169, 170, 171, 172, 173, 174, 175, 176, 177, 178, 179, 180, 182, 183, 184, 185, 186, 187, 188, 189, 190, 191, 192, 193, 194, 195, 196, 197, 198, 199, 200, 201, 202, 203, 204, 205, 206, 207, 208, 209, 210, 211, 212, 213, 214, 215, 216, 217, 219, 220, 221, 222, 223, 224, 225, 226, 227, 228, 229, 230, 231, 232, 233, 234, 235, 236, 288, 239, 240, 241, 242, 243, 244, 245.
Maps may be seen at the office of the Government Agent, New Westminster, and at the Land Office, Victoria.
F. GEO. VERNON,
Chief Commissioner of Lands & Works.
Lands and Works Dept.,
Victoria, Sept. 29th, 1877. se30

Notice of Dissolution of Partnership.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE partnership lately subsisting between us the undersigned William Cameron and Auguste Borde, as blacksmiths and carriage-makers in the City of Victoria, was, on the 30th day of October instant, dissolved by mutual consent. All debts due and owing to or by the late firm will be received and paid by the said Auguste Borde, who will continue the said business.
As witness our hands this 30th day of October, 1877.
W. CAMERON,
Witness: AUGUSTE BORDE.
W. Pollard. oc31 1m

Townsite of Hastings.

NOTICE IN HEREBY GIVEN, that the following lots in the Townsite of Hastings are reserved for Government purposes, viz:—
LOTS—21, 22, 30, 31, 32, 37, 38, 39, 51, 52, 87, 89, 92, 96, 100, 104, 108, 111, 118, 124, 637, 638, 639, 251, 237, 130, 134, 141, 145, 218, 160, 202, 181, 81, 84, 72, 444, 445, 487, 467, 465, 512 and Suburban lots 8 and 12.
F. GEO. VERNON,
Chief Commissioner of Lands & Works.
Lands and Works Dept.,
Victoria, 29th Sept., 1877. se30

NOTICE.

A COURT of General Assize and Gaol Delivery and of Nisi Prius, will be held at each of the undermentioned places at 11 o'clock in the forenoon and on the following days and all witnesses are hereby notified to attend thereat.
Victoria, Tuesday, 20th November.
Nanaimo, Wednesday, 5th December.
By Command,
T. ELWYN,
Acting Deputy Provincial Secretary.
Dated 13th October, 1877. oc14

GOLD COMMISSIONER'S NOTICE.

ON and after the 1st November next, all claims in the Cariboo District may be laid over till the 20th May, 1878, subject to the 9th Section of the "Gold Mining Amendment Act, 1872."
H. M. BALL,
Gold Commissioner.
Richfield, October 18th, 1877. no11

Notices.

LIST OF PROPERTY

On which Taxes have been due and unpaid for Three Years and upwards, and which will be Sold on the Fifth day of December, 1877, at the Council Chambers, Victoria, at 12 noon, in pursuance of the "Victoria Real Estate Tax Sale Bylaw, 1877," unless in the meantime the Arrears of Taxes and Costs due in respect of each lot in the Schedule hereunder written be paid.

Lot.	Block.	Amount of Taxes.	Amount of Interest	Total.	Costs.
6	12	$41 57	$1 66	$43 13	$4 15
½43	14	22 37	7 44	29 81	3 00
½62	23	35 00	8 40	43 40	3 70
87	26	34 56	12 12	46 68	3 82
106	12	60 75	15 45	76 20	5 20
Part 121	13	148 50	26 64	175 14	10 25
143	Y	240 00	40 32	280 32	18 00
Part 178-9	1	49 56	18 24	67 24	4 86
244	27	57 50	16 80	74 30	5 25
245	27	28 00	8 40	36 40	3 32
309	11	27 00	4 80	25 80	2 80
370	4	30 00	9 00	9 50	3 10
½380		2 00	6 00	35 00	3 25
402	W	29 00	8 74	37 74	2 38
Part 416 17	13	110 86	33 00	143 86	8 70
535	T	290 00	75 60	365 60	19 80
602-3	M Subdv. 8	31 00	12 48	43 48	3 67
618-19	M Subdv. 4	31 00	12 48	43 48	3 67
644	K	21 35	7 00	28 35	2 92
658	U	30 00	75	39 75	3 50
659	U	64 00	21 09	85 09	5 75
682	21	62 10	15 60	78 10	5 40
684	S	21 25	5 65	26 90	2 85
710	R	22 50	7 15	29 64	3 00
711	R	134 02	41 54	175 56	10 30
717	Q	21 58	7 50	29 08	2 95
813	5	21 50	6 84	28 34	2 91
829	5	20 75	8 75	29 50	3 00
830	5	41 50	17 46	58 96	4 44
831	5	36 00	6 48	42 48	3 62
867	Y	34 48	13 52	48 00	3 90
876	J	19 00	6 42	25 42	2 78
E½878	J	20 71	6 50	27 21	2 86
941	42	22 19	10 07	32 26	3 11
942	42	19 31	7 38	26 69	2 83
975	6	28 68	8 21	36 89	3 35
1018	20	20 00	5 00	25 00	2 75
1023	20	28 19	11 00	39 19	3 50
1627	25	187 88	61 44	249 32	14 00
5 Acre Lots					
No. III	Part Subdv. 5	31 76	8 74	40 50	3 50
" IV	Subdv. 19	29 31	8 89	38 20	3 42
" V	Part Subdv. 2	45 17	11 80	56 97	4 34
" VI	Subdv. 4 & 5	62 29	25 68	87 97	5 90
" X	2	45 00	10 44	55 44	4 27
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THOS. RUSSELL,
Assessor and Collector.
5th September, 1877. se5

NOTICE.

ALL PERSONS ARE HEREBY CAUTIONed against
TRESPASSING
On the Estate known as
The Spring Park Farm Situated in Victoria District.
And warning is hereby given that any person caught hunting, shooting or otherwise trespassing on the said property will be prosecuted.
oc18 Signed, M. FINN RTY.

[L.S.] A. N. RICHARDS.
PROVINCE OF BRITISH COLUMBIA
VICTORIA, by the Grace of God, of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, QUEEN, Defender of the Faith, &c., &c.
To all to whom these presents shall come—GREETING

A PROCLAMATION.

A. C. ELLIOTT, Attorney-General. } WHEREAS it is meet and proper that the people of Our Province of British Columbia should have due opportunity for offering their humble thanksgiving to ALMIGHTY GOD for the bountiful harvest now being gathered.
NOW KNOW YE that we do hereby proclaim that Thursday, the 22d day of November next, be set apart and appointed as a day of General Thanksgiving to ALMIGHTY GOD for the bountiful harvest vouchsafed to Our Province
All of which Our loving subjects and all others whom these presents may concern, are hereby required to take notice and govern themselves accordingly.
IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, We have caused these Our Letters to be made Patent, and the Public Seal of the said Province to be hereunto affixed: WITNESS the Honorable ALBERT NORTON RICHARDS, Lieutenant-Governor of Our said Province of British Columbia, at Our City of Victoria, in Our said Province, this 19th day of October, in the year of Our Lord One thousand eight hundred and seventy-seven and in the forty-first of Our Reign.
By Command,
T. ELWYN,
oc21 Acting Deputy Provincial Secretary.

ADMINISTRATOR'S SALE

In Victoria, B. C., for settlement of S. Lrtard's Estate.

THE LARGE AND FIRST-CLASS HOTEL known as the Driard House, 60 Rooms and Parlors well heated and furnished, Bar-room, Billiards, Kitchen and Restaurant, a large Garden, etc. This Hotel is in the best situation of the Town commanding a beautiful view of the Straits, the Harbor and the country. TERMS EASY For particulars address E. GRANCINI, Esq., or L. S LUCAS, Administrators of the Estate. oc2

SCHOOL TAX, 1877.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE School Tax for the year 1877 is due and payable to the undersigned on and after the 1st July proximo. All male residents of 18 years and upwards are required to pay the said Tax under the provisions of "School Tax Act, 1876."
e30 J. E McMILLAN, Collector.

NOTICE

ALL PERSONS HAVING CLAIMS AGAINST M. Salmon (of the late firm of Trickey & Salmon) of Esquimalt, are requested to send them in either to the undersigned or to E. J. Salmon, at the Arcade Restaurant, Government street, Victoria, on or before the 20th day of November next. And all persons indebted to him will please settle their accounts before the same date.
MAURICE SALMON.
Esquimalt, Oct. 20, 1877. oc21*1

NOTICE.

In the matter of the Estate and Effects of WILLIAM CONN, of Kuper Island, deceased, intestate.
ALL PERSONS WHO ARE INDEBTED to the above Estate are required to pay the amounts due forthwith; and all persons who have any claims against the above Estate are required to send in their accounts, on or before the 20th day of January, 1878, to HENRY S. MASON.
Official Administrator.
Dated Victoria, 20th Oct., 1877. o 28

PROVINCIAL SECRETARY'S OFFICE,
9th November, 1877.

HIS EXCELLENCY the Lieutenant-Governor has been pleased to appoint ALLAN MCPHIE, Esq., to be a Justice of the Peace for all that portion of Vancouver Island to the north of the Electoral District of Comox. no11

PROVINCIAL SECRETARY'S OFFICE,
1st November, 1877.

HIS EXCELLENCY the Lieutenant-Governor has been pleased to appoint CHARLES JAMES LEGGATT, Esq., to act as Deputy Registrar of the Supreme Court. no4

Appointments.

PROVINCIAL SECRETARY'S OFFICE,
7th November, 1877.

HIS EXCELLENCY the Lieutenant-Governor has been pleased to make the following appointments:—
THOMAS ELWYN, Esq., to be Deputy Provincial Secretary, vice Charles Good resigned
THOMAS ELWYN, Esq., to be Medical Registrar, vice Charles Good resigned. no11

Daily British Colonist.

THURSDAY MORNING, NOV. 22ND, 1877.

L. P. FISHER, 20 and 21 New Merchants' Exchange is our authorized Agent in San Francisco.

SOME OF THE THINGS FOR WHICH WE SHOULD BE THANKFUL.

For the Preservation of ourselves, families and friends from Wasting Sickness or Sudden Death; for immunity from public Calamity widespreading and heartcrushing in its Effects; for a healthgiving Climate; for Waters that teem with Choice varieties of Fish; for Prairies where Graze the Cattle of a Thousand Hills; for a Bountiful Harvest; for the Steady Development of Industrial Pursuits; for the soundness of our Commercial Men; for an abundance of Wholesome Food and warm Raiment; for the Freeschool System; for a Liberal form of Government; for a Lawabiding and peaceloving Community; for happy and Well-ordered households; for rapid Increase in Population; and, finally, for the Evidences that are seen on every side of Approaching Prosperity and Greatness.

THE RAILWAY AGAIN.

We gave yesterday the well-deserved rebuke administered by the Toronto *Globe* to the London *Times* for the ignorance displayed by the quondam "Thunderer" in its recent article on the subject of the Canadian Pacific Railway. The *Times* is one of the organs of the British plutocracy whose monopolising of the House of Commons to such an extent, is matter of great regret and some alarm to leading Liberals at home. London capitalists should reflect on their vast losses in Egypt, Turkey, South America and many other countries. They should ponder well whether investments in English speaking colonies, would not in the long run pay best, and from inception be safest from risk of ultimate repudiation. With returning prosperity in the Dominion, the feeling in favor of pushing on with railway construction is strengthening. Following is an encouraging extract from a letter written not long since, and not by a politician, in one of the chief commercial towns of Canada to a gentleman of this city. "We are one and all earnestly bent on having a railroad across the Continent within our own territory, and determined to carry out the job as fast as it can prudently be done; but we are not mad enough to ruin the future of the Dominion by piling up a crushing debt. There are too many canny Scotchmen among us for that. I am satisfied that the highest object of Mackenzie's ambition is that the making of this road should be *his* work, though I do not suppose that he expects to retain office until its completion. I am equally certain that, be the Premier who he may, Parliament will do more than justice to British Columbia in voting the needful funds."

Indigent Home.

EDITOR COLONIST:—I enclose my mite towards the establishment of a Home for the Indigent. It is only 50 cents; but it is all that I can afford at present. If everyone else would give as much as he or she could afford, relief would soon be furnished for the ten or twelve destitute sufferers now in this city. I trust that the collection at the Reformed Episcopal Church to-day will be large. J.

Gambling.

EDITOR COLONIST:—Referring to the charge of his Lordship Sir Matthew Baillie Begbie, given to the Grand Jury yesterday, it appears that "all persons found playing an unlawful game may be punished." Can you inform me what games are unlawful? and if, for instance, playing whist, and winning or losing from five to twenty dollars of an evening, constitutes it an unlawlul game within the meaning of the Statute? ENQUIRER.

The Inter-Provincial Steamers.

EDITOR COLONIST:—I have waited several days for some action by the mercantile and traveling community respecting the boats engaged in the Inter-provincial trade; but as yet have no knowledge of any movement. Every one whom I meet acknowledges the justice of your strictures, but none seem disposed to speak their minds forcibly to the gentlemen who own or represent the steamers. This evening I went to the Postoffice for my New Westminster mail, and was told the Enterprise had not arrived—it being the third detention from the inability of that steamer to face the winter gales within ten days. I do not envy the feelings of those on shore who have friends on board the Enterprise to-night, with the wind howling like a demon through the streets of the city. I trust that no harm will come to the vessel or her passengers. I think, Mr. Editor, that no matter what may occur, you have cleared your skirts of any responsibility. You sounded the alarm in the case of the Pacific. Your warning voice fell on unheeding ears. God forbid that a similar fulfilment should attend your predictions with respect to either of the steamers now carrying passengers from port to port in the Province. Enclosing my card,

I remain yours truly,
A MERCHANT.

FORT STREET, Wednesday evening.

Theories and Conclusions as to how Fissure Veins are Formed.

EDITOR COLONIST:—Traveling on the steamer Enterprise on the upper Fraser, from Soda Creek to Quesnellemouth, I noticed an almost continuous line or seam of burning lignite, and at the landings near high water mark I broke some pieces off which burnt freely in the cook's stove. The smoke issuing from the seam was visible in many places, which suggested the idea of an endless, smouldering fire. Several copper veins were distinctly visible on the abrupt sides of the mountains, which might profitably be more carefully examined and traced.

Again, at Quesnellemouth, the new bridge (a splendid structure, by the way) which when completed connected with the wagonroad on the side of a steep bluff the lignite seam was burning and the earth crumbled as would a pile of ashes, and tons of earth can be displaced with a stick. An extension of twenty feet has been added to the new bridge since its completion, and the wagonroad has to be re-cut further back once or twice a year—caused by the burning lignite and water-wash of the river.

Noticing this I recalled my having read of a novel process for extracting copper metal from the crude ore. Briefly it was this:—The ore, taken from the mine under contract of one dollar and a quarter per ton, was placed in cars and conveyed by rail to a dump, the site of which had been previously prepared by placing a layer of cordwood on shavings and other combustibles, say to a thickness of two feet. In the centre is a tall chimney with connecting flues for the necessary draft. The ore is then dumped on the wood until a pile sixty feet in length, thirty feet in width, and fifteen feet high of the copper ore has been accumulated (figures from memory.) The match is then applied to the shavings and soon the sulphur contained in the copper ore ignites and burns incessantly without any additional fuel or labor for the period of four months. At the end of that time, the sulphur being nearly all consumed, it is again placed on the cars and taken to the mill where the ore is fed into pans and puddled in boiling water. From those pans the decomposed matter is run into settlers partly filled with scraps of iron and boiling water added. The iron precipitates the copper and fifty per cent. of metal is thus obtained from this, the first working. The residue is then taken back and placed on top of the new charge or pile of ore which is being built; and so the process goes on *ad infinitum*.

This may not be new to some of your many readers; but right here is what I am drifting at. The seams of lignite which I saw on the Fraser burning, or rather, smoking, for I saw no fire, are the *shavings and wood*, which ignite the sulphur contained in the mineral and copper ore and the iron which abounds in the hills and mountains of that locality, is the precipitant; hence (crude deduction) the molten condition of the disintegrated gold and other metals found as well in the veins, *i. e.* flues, and the sands of the river or fissures in the mountains. Speaking of fissures and fissure veins reminds me that at Steamboat Springs, in the vicinity of Carson City, Nevada, Professor Silliman told me that true fissure veins were being filled by nature to order, and in a few thousand years more (not long to wait, you know,) they would be ready for the miners' use; being formed into Steamboat Springs quartz-mining ledges. At the present time hundreds of jets of steam are seen issuing from the crevices to a height of a hundred feet or more. Seen from a distance they present a view as of a large manufacturing district. The Professor made several tests and assays from the slum deposited on the sides of the fissures and found all the component parts of gold and especially silver bearing quartz lodes.

Another, and the last, illustration which occurs to me now is found in the silver mines of eastern Nevada. Here the ore for a depth of sixty feet is a chloride and below this sulphurate. The theory is that once these hills were overflowed with hot salt water, which chlorodized the sulphuret ore. Here, again, we have a comparison nearer home of the overflowed mountains in the petrified oyster beds found on Jackass Mountain, 3000 feet above the present level of the sea.

My theories and conclusions may be erroneous; but I give them.

JOHN KURTZ.

MY BROTHER.

Who was it picked up all the chips,
And strewed the floor with strings and whips,
And in the washtub sailed his ships?
My Brother.

Who was it ate the current jell,
And threw my kitten in the well,
And made me promise not to tell?
My Brother.

Who was it taught me how to skate,
And sat me on the ice to wait
While he went home with cousin Kate?
My Brother.

Who was it, when he older grew,
To top and marbles bid adieu,
And tried, but could not learn to chew?
My Brother.

Who does a tiny mustache wear,
And oils and colors it with care,
And in the middle parts his hair?
My Brother.

Who is it tumbles up my curls,
And buys me bracelets, rings and pearls,
And flirts with all the pretty girls?
My Brother.

And talks to me about his clothes,
And all my little secrets knows,
And teases me about my beaux?
My Brother.

Who is it that I love the best
Of all the boys in East or West,
Although he is a perfect pest?
My Brother.

THE English word "Case" must be very puzzling to foreigners, because there are cases in law and equity, and cases of tea, and of other merchandise; and there is our little army of V. P's., denominated hard cases. There are also conjunctives which express an if, in case of so and so, and there are positive assertions, which express the contents of certain cases; and in case we open certain cases, amply due from London for the Holidays, Christmas will be enlivened by a display which has not heretofore been seen in Victoria. —T. N. HIBBEN & Co. *

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NEITHER THE MASTER, NOR THE UNdersigned owner of the abovenamed schooner will be responsible for any debts that may be contracted by the crew. A. S. TIBBEY.
Victoria, 20th Nov., 1877. no21

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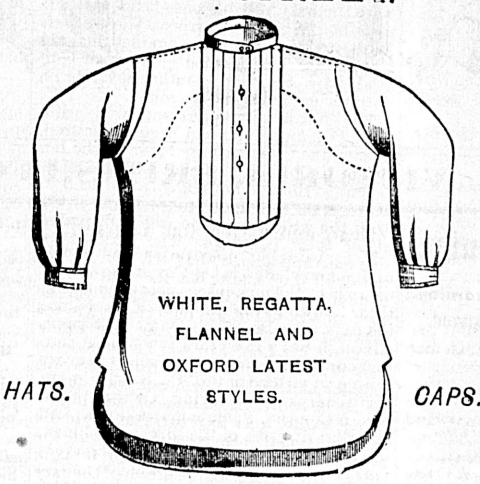

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November 1st, 1877. no2dw

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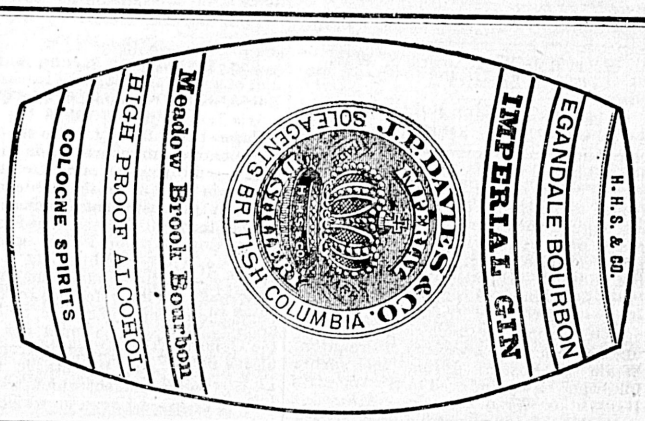

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Daily British Colonist.

THURSDAY MORNING, NOV. 22ND, 1877

Court of Assize.

(Before Sir M. B. Begbie, C. J.)

WEDNESDAY, NOV. 21.

ASSAULTING A GAOLER.

Wm. Boyle, indicted for having on Nov. 1st assaulted a gaoler while in the execution of his duty, was arraigned.

The prisoner, who was defended by Mr. McElmen, pleaded not guilty.

A jury being sworn in,

The Attorney-General in opening the case stated that the prisoner, a sailor from H.M.S. Shah, was undergoing a term of 12 months' imprisonment for insubordination at the time the assault was committed.

Phillip P. Woollacott being sworn said he was a gaoler; he was on duty at Victoria gaol on the 1st November; the prisoner was in the chain gang; on that day while leaving the passage after having let the prisoners out of their cells he felt a severe blow on the back of the head and on turning round saw the prisoner and from the expression on his face concluded that he had struck him (witness); and said to him "you would not have done that to my face." The prisoner then said he would and squared up to fight; there were six or seven other men-of-wars-men near at the time; on looking round saw a piece of coal about the size of his hand lying on the second step; there were no other pieces of coal nearer than the fireplace.

In answer to Mr. McElmen—might have gone about two yards after having been struck before turning round; was certain the prisoner said "he would," when witness told him he would not do that to his face; remember saying it was the act of a mean man; the passage was full at the time; the passage is 8 yards long; at the end is the fireplace; after being struck went into the outer yard and told Superintendent Bowden; this was after he had spoken to Boyle.

In answer to the Attorney General—Was certain that he spoke to Boyle before going into the outer yard; the prisoner did not deny at the time that he had thrown the coal.

Johnny, an Indian, having been duly cautioned by an interpreter, said he was an inmate of Victoria gaol on the 1st of November; about 1 o'clock saw the prisoner throw some coal at Woollacott, who was standing just outside the door; the prisoner was standing close to the fire at the end of the passage; the coal hit Woollacott on the back of the head; did not know what Woollacott said.

In answer to Mr. McElmen—The prisoner was close to the fire; the witness was also near the fire.

Shewlap, an Indian, said he was in the gaol on the 1st November; Mr. Woollacott opened the doors of all the cells at 1 o'clock that day; saw the prisoner throw a piece of coal at Mr. Woollacott, the coal struck him on the back of the head nearly knocking him down; was standing near the fire.

This closed the case for the prosecution.

Mr. McElmen called the following witnesses for the defence:

Samuel White, being sworn, said he recollected a difficulty taking place in the gaol about some coal being thrown; Boyle and Woollacott were there; the prisoners were being let out of their cells; the passage was full; on witness coming out of his cell he went up and spoke to Boyle; was certain Boyle had nothing in his hands; he tickled the witness in the ribs and he must have felt it if there had been anything in his hands; saw the coal pass him; it could not have been thrown by Boyle as he was in front of witness; was certain that Shewlap, the last witness, was in his cell and therefore could not see what took place; Johnny, the other Indian, was standing near the fire; when Woollacott was struck he first stumbled and then turned round and swinging round his keys said the man that did that was a coward; Boyle then said he did not throw the coal, but if Woollacott wanted anything he could give it him.

In answer to the Attorney-General—Boyle was an old shipmate of the witness; the passage was full; was certain that Shewlap was in his cell because witness saw him through the wicket; when Woollacott turned round Boyle said he did not throw the stone, but he could give Woollacott anything he wanted; he supposed Boyle said this because it came into his head; Woollacot did not charge Boyle with throwing the stone; McNeil was in front of Boyle in going out; any of them were likely to say what Boyle had said; it was not the rule of the service to offer to fight, but they did not always go by the rules.

In answer to his Lordship—Was quite certain that Boyle did not throw the coal.

William McNeil said he was in the gaol on the 1st November when the assault took place; was the nearest one to Mr. Woollacott; could not see who threw the coal; on Woollacott being struck he stumbled and then went out and brought Mr. Bowden in; Woollacot then asked Boyle if he was the man to do that before his face? Boyle said "Do what?" and on Mr. Woollacot repeating the question said, "if you want anything I'll oblige you." There was nothing further said about who threw the coal; Boyle never said "he would do it" in reference to the coal.

In answer to the Attorney-General—Was not in a position to say who threw the coal.

This finishing the case for the defence, Mr. McElmen summed up in a few words, referring to the disadvantage to the defence by the prosecution bringing forward Indian witnesses, who it was impossible to cross-examine, and placing much weight on the evidence of White as to the impossibility of Boyle's throwing the coal. In conclusion he thanked the jury for their attention to the case and asked them to return a verdict of acquittal.

The Attorney-General in replying contended that an assault had been clearly proven, and also that the Indians, who had nothing to expect for their evidence, had proved who committed the assault. With reference to the evidence for the defence he commented on the evidence of White, who says Boyle was not accused of throwing the coal at Woollacot. Now, the other witness comes forward and most emphatically declares that Woollacot accused Boyle of throwing the coal, and this latter statement is borne out by Mr. Woollacot, and also by one of the Indians. Therefore the statement made by White must be through either forgetfulness or most wilful perjury. With reference to there being a large number of men present, and that the coal was thrown from behind, he spoke of the excellent aim which the man must have taken so that the coal should pass over the heads of some 40 men and through a door without it striking anyone between. As for the imputation cast on the prosecution for calling Indian evidence he considered that they were the only reliable ones who saw the assault. Who would expect the witness White to give testimony against his old shipmate? The learned gentleman concluded by commenting rather severely on witness' evidence and veracity.

His Lordship said it appeared quite clear that an assault had been committed. It remained for the Jury to say whether or not the prisoner committed it. In refering to the Indian evidence he said if there was any fault to be found it was with the whiteman, who did not understand their language. The Indians in this case appeared to be perfectly willing to tell all they know, but the white man is unable to grasp the meaning of all he says on account of the imperfection in the language. Referring to the remaining evidence his Lordship said he considered that White was the only witness for the defence and that his evidence was doubtful, as he contradicted himself, and if anything, rather goes to prove that Boyle did throw the coal. He considered that the evidence of McNeil was favorable for both sides. In conclusion he directed the jury to consider whether the testimony of White should be taken as against that of Woollacot, McNeil and the two Indians.

The jury then retired.

AFTER RECESS

The jury returned, having found a verdict of guilty against the prisoner William Boyle, with a recommendation to mercy.

His Lordship then asked the prisoner whether he had anything to say why sentence should not be passed on him.

Mr. McElmen said he would reserve his point as to the evidence being sufficient to prove that Woollacott was a peace officer.

His Lordship said that it was evident that the witness White had committed perjury and he thought he ought to be punished. With reference to the case in point the prisoner is only convicted of a misdemeanor, and he could not sentence him to a term except dating from to-day. Now he had power to sentence him to a term of imprisonment which will extend long over August next, at which time the prisoner's term of imprisonment will expire. He believed this was a wanton, cowardly assault, unlike a British sailor, who generally meets his foe face to face if he has one. He, therefore, sentenced the prisoner to two years' imprisonment, less one month, with hard labor. He regretted that corporal punishment was not allowed, for he certainly thought this case richly deserved it.

His Lordship then advised the Attorney-General to prosecute Samuel White for perjury.

ASSAULTING AN OFFICER.

Patrick Kenealy, charged with assaulting an officer, and with inflicting actual bodily harm, was arraigned.

The prisoner, defended by Mr. McElmen, pleaded guilty to a common assault, with the consent of the Attorney-General.

His Lordship said he considered Mr. McElmen had done well for his client, for he thought that if it had gone to the jury that they would have returned a verdict that the prisoner had committed a brutal assault—one that disgusts everyone. He was afraid that he could not give sufficient protection to a police officer, but for every person's sake he must sentence the prisoner to 12 months' imprisonment in the common gaol with hard labor.

LARCENY.

Ah Sam, a Chinaman, indicted for, on the 14th day of June last, stealing certain articles from Annie Martha Smith; also, with being in possession of the same articles.

The prisoner, who was undefended, pleaded not guilty.

A jury was then sworn in.

The Attorney-General in opening the case said the prisoner was at one time in the service of the prosecutrix, and it was from knowledge gained then that the prisoner was enabled to take these things.

Annie Martha Smith was then called, and having been sworn, said the prisoner was in her employ during February and March last at Nanaimo; he was also in her employ about a week at Victoria in May last; this was in Broad street, the house from which the goods were taken, she discharged him in May; about three weeks after she (witness) went up to Nanaimo; was absent about two days and a-half; locked all the doors when she went away; the wardrobe was also locked; left the house in charge of a person who was to see that the doors were not unfastened; left the key with a colored man; he had the key to the kitchen door; on her return found the hall and wardrobe doors open; first missed blankets, spreads, recognised the blankets produced; they were up stairs in the back room; also missed a shawl, riding hat, gloves, sheets, door-chain, the last-named in the wardrobe on the shelf; estimated the value of the double blanket at $10, the single about $6, and the riding hat at $9; had not been able to recover any of the other articles.

Constable Lindsay, being sworn, said he was a peace officer; recollected arresting the prisoner; when he took the prisoner to Mr. Braverman for identification he said, "Suppose I go gaol, you look out." Mr. Braverman then said he did not recollect him; but then asked him about some white stuff he bought; the prisoner used bad language and witness had some difficulty in taking him to gaol, finally had to catch hold of his cue.

Constable White testified to finding the single blankets in Braverman's store and the others in Oldenburg's.

A. Oldenburg being sworn, said he was a pawnbroker on Government street: identified the prisoner as the Chinaman who came to his store on the 15th June last to pawn a pair of blankets; did not pawn anything else; lent him $1 50; the prisoner gave the name of Ma Sing.

I. Braverman, being sworn, said he was a pawnbroker; identified blanket produced as having been pledged by a Chinaman and on which he advanced $1; the Chinaman gave the name of Ah Kun; could not recognize the prisoner.

This finished the case for the defence.

The prisoner made rather a humorous speech, concluding by saying that he knew nothing about this case; he supposhe had been put in gaol for fun—that's all.

His Lordship reviewed the case telling them that if from the evidence they inferred that the prisoner was in possession of those blankets knowing them to be stolen then they will find him guilty of the second count; if, on the other hand, they think that he took all these goods or any of them, then they will find him guilty of stealing. If there are any doubts give the doubt in favor of the prisoner.

The jury retired and after the absence of a few minutes returned with a verdict of guilty on the count.

His Lordship then sentenced the prisoner to imprisonment for 3 months with hard labor for larceny.

THE SNEAK THIEVERY.

Augustus Dieusy indicted for on the 9th September burglariously entering the Presbyterian Church and taking therefrom two coats, the property of Mr. Reid. The prisoner was charged on the second count with stealing the said coats.

The prisoner, who was undefended, pleaded not guilty.

A jury was sworn in.

Mr. Mason conducted the case on behalf of the Crown and in opening the case stated that the first count was for breaking and entering the Presbyterian Church; the second count is for simple larceny.

The prisoner here stated that he objected to being tried by a Roman Catholic jury, as the first week he was in gaol a Roman priest came to him and said he would do all he could to get him convicted and if he was not convicted then that he would get all the Irish Roman Catholics in the town to kill him.

His Lordship said that the prisoner had had an opportunity of challenging the jury, but that it was too late now.

The prisoner said he objected to being tried by fanatics. He did not see how he was to get a fair trial if he was not allowed to challenge the jury.

His Lordship after enquiry informed the prisoner that there were no Roman Catholics on the jury.

Rev. J. Reid was then sworn and said he was the clergyman of the Presbyterian Church; recollected on the evening of the 9th September hearing some noise in the vestry, but could not leave being then in the middle of his sermon; after service, however, he found on examination the outer door of the vestry open and two coats stolen from the cupboard; saw the coats last just before service; the cupboard door was also open; also missed a flagon; saw the coats next in the Police Court.

In answer to the prisoner—Did not see him at all that day.

Superintendent Bowden being sworn, said he arrested the prisoner who lived in a cottage adjoining the Australian house; found there the flagon produced; from information received during several days previous he had gone to the pawnbroker, Mr. Oldenburg, and there found the two coats produced.

In answer to the prisoner witness said he had been looking for him for several days; it was in consequence of the description given by Oldenburg of the man who pawned the coat.

A. Oldenburg testified to the prisoner pawning the coats at his store; he pledged the coats for $5; did not ask the man's name, but gave him a ticket; had asked the prisoner what his occupation was and he said he was engaged as a bookkeeper.

The prisoner in addressing the jury denied having stolen the coats, but said they were left with him as security against $6 loaned to a French Canadian.

Mr. Mason addressed the jury in a few words drawing their attention to the main facts.

His Lordship said it was quite clear that someone had broken into the church and taken these things; he then explained the law of breaking into a domicile, directing the attention of the jury to the two counts, 1st, breaking into and stealing three coats, 2nd, pawning the goods knowing them to be stolen.

The jury retired, and after an absence of a few minutes returned, having found the prisoner guilty on both counts.

Augustus Dieusy was arraigned for having feloniously broken into the Presbyterian Church and having stolen therefrom one electro-plated flagon, and with stealing the said flagon.

The prisoner pleaded not guilty.

A jury were then sworn in, and Mr. Mason opened the case, after which the following evidence was taken:

Rev. Mr. Reid testified to the flagon being in the Church at the commencement of the service and being missing immediately afterwards.

Mr. Alex. Wilson said he was one of the trustees of the Presbyterian Church; identified the flagon produced as being the property of the Church; also said that he closed the doors of the vestry that night.

Superintendent Bowden testified to finding the flagon produced in the prisoner's room; it was close by the bed, covered over by coats hanging to a peg.

The prisoner in addressing the jury said that the flagon was left with him with the coats, and that he did not know it was stolen.

Mr. Mason having summed up His Lordship laid the evidence before the jury, commenting on the defence as being one ordinarily set up by persons accused of theft, namely, that they found the goods, or that someone left them in the house. He directed the jury to consider whether the person holding the flagon broke into the church, and if so was it the prisoner? if not, who was it? and was the prisoner guilty of receiving the same knowing it to be stolen?

Mr. Mason here stated that the Crown had thought it right to abandon two indictments still remaining against the prisoner.

The jury then retired at 6:25 p. m.; as however they had not agreed at 7 o'clock His Lordship adjourned the Court for two hours.

At 9.40 p.m. the jury returned, having found the prisoner guilty of having the flagon in his possession knowing it to be stolen.

The prisoner, in answer to the Chief Justice, as to whether he had anything to say, said it was only circumstantial evidence against him.

His Lordship explained that a thief does not generally go round and advertise in the papers that he had stolen a certain thing. The jury in this case had formed a verdict that he had the flagon in his possession knowing it to be stolen; every conscientious man must know that the story about the sack was absurd. Of course, it was brought to his room; but it was by himself, and he got the the articles in the church. The offence was a very serious one. He would, therefore, sentence him to two years in the penitentiary for the first offence and six months in addition for the second offence.

The Court then adjourned till 10 a. m. on Friday next.

THE steamer Beaver returned from Nanaimo Tuesday night, having towed the bark Marmion to that port.

Municipal Council.

WEDNESDAY, NOV. 21st.

Present—Couns. Trounce, Marvin, Redfern, Jeffree and Finlayson (in the chair.)

COMMUNICATIONS

Were read from Mr. J. Clayton asking that a larger culvert be placed at the junction of Cook and Richardson streets. Referred to the City Surveyor.

From Hon. H. P. P. Crease respecting a culvert near his residence, suggesting gravel on Cadboro Bay road and the erection of an extra street lamp. Referred to City Surveyor.

STREET COMMITTEE.

Report of Street Committee on the application of Hon. A. F. Pemberton for remission of taxes in consideration of certain improvements effected by him, was laid over.

Street Com. reported that the sidewalk on Johnson street, between Douglas and Blanchard, and a drain on Johnson street, would be attended to in due course.

REPORT.

The City Surveyor reported that Baker had completed his contract, and that Stelly was completing his. Tenders had been invited from the foundries for castings. A drain from the Deluge house along Broad street to Johnson, to cost $98.50, was recommended. The City Surveyor further reported that there are now on hand 90 feet 2½-inch cast iron pipe; 315 feet of wrought iron galvanized; 22 feet 2-inch ditto ditto; 84 feet 2-in ordinary wrought iron; and a few other sorts and sizes.

RUBBISH.

Attention was called to the practice of contractors leaving rubbish behind them after they have completed their contracts, and notices were directed to be served.

DRAIN.

Coun. Marvin drew attention to the state of the drain on Wharf street from Bastion to Fort, and the City Surveyor was directed to examine said drain.

FINANCES.

A discussion took place upon the financial condition of the City. Coun. Redfern stated that $12,000 worth of taxes was due and would shortly be paid.

Adjourned.

Municipal Police Court.

(Before H. C. Courtney, Esq., P.M.)

WEDNESDAY, 21st Nov.

Charlie, a Fort Rupert Indian, was fined $1 25 for being drunk and disorderly; $5 for assault; $1 for window-breaking, and $2 50 for interpreter's fees, making $9 75 altogether. All paid.

Rose Smith, brought up on remand, charged with robbery, was discharged.

Willy Selcatcher an Alhalt, an Indian, who was brought up on the information of Jacob C. Crane, charged with having murdered one Giles Curtis on Salt Spring Island on the 13th December, 1868, was remanded till Thursday.

THE LILIPUTIAN OPERA COMPANY.—This wonderful company performed again last evening to a large house and the satisfaction they afforded was as great as ever. Commodore Nutt was in his merriest mood and created the liveliest amusement by his drollery and witicisms. Miss Quigley was very successful in her various roles. She has the prettiest little face and the sweetest little soprano voice that were ever seen or heard outside the limits of fairyland. Everything that she and the Commodore do is encored, but they never seem to tire in their efforts to please their audiences. They were ably supported by Miss Belton, Miss Kirkland, Major Nutt and Major Houghton, and the great, good-natured Colonel Goshen, who is as large as any four ordinary men. This afternoon's and evening's performances will be the last, as the company will positively leave to-morrow morning for San Francisco.

THANKSGIVING ENTERTAINMENT.—The performance this evening will be for the benefit of Commodore Nutt and Miss Jennie Quigley. The troupe will disappear from view to-morrow, so this evening will be the last opportunity our citizens will have to witness their wonderful performances. "Jack the Giant Killer" and "Toodles" will be played. Let there be a bumping house.

DEATH.—We are pained to announce the death at Nanaimo on Sunday of the wife of T. L. Bulkley, Esq., a most estimable wife and mother. The deceased lady leaves six children—all of an age when a mother's tender care is most required. The cause of death was typhoid fever.

THANKSGIVING DAY.—Services will be held in all the city Churches to-day. There will be a general suspension of business, public offices, banks and stores remaining closed throughout the day. At the Reformed Episcopal Church the collection will be devoted to assisting in the establishment of a Home for the Indigent.

HOLIDAY.—To day will be kept as a holiday at the Municipal Council Chambers by all the city officials except the Magistrate and the Town Clerk, who will hold an examination into the charge of murder against the Indian Selcatcher on Salt Spring Island.

NOTICE.—There will be skating at the Pavilion skating rink, Fort street, this afternoon from half-past two till half-past four for ladies and gentlemen, 25 cents each. Also, skating in the evening. Season tickets will not be good to-day.

SPECIMENS.—At J. P. Davies & Co's, rooms may be seen a large number of specimens of copper, lead and silver ore from Cassiar, sent down by Mr. J. W. McKay of the H. B. Co. We learn that the specimens have assayed largely.

FIRE ALARM.—The alarm sounded yesterday morning was caused by burning soot in a chimney of the C.P.R.S. office, Government street. The engines rolled promptly out, but their services were not required.

WORSE AND WORSE.—The southeaster of last night was very severe. The wind raged fiercely for several hours and shipping in the Straits must have been tossed about like stray chips on the waves. We heard of no damage on land.

THE steamer Enterprise, due from New Westminster yesterday afternoon, did not arrive last night. It is hoped that she rode out the gale in one of the harbors near Saanich.

THANKSGIVING MATINEE.—A Jack the Giant Killer matinee will be held at Theatre Royal at 2 o'clock to-day.

Table of Distances

From Victoria, B. C., to Sitka, Alaska Territory, as run by the U.S. mail steamship California, Chas. Thorn, Master.

	Miles.	Miles from Victoria.
From Victoria, B.C.—		
To Nanaimo by Active Pass	73	73
From Nanaimo—		
To Seymour Narrows	84	157
Seymour Narrows to Alert Bay	74	231
From Alert Bay—		
To Pine Island, Q C. Sound	40	271
From Pine Island—		
To Cape Calvert, Ent. Fitzhugh Sd	26	291
Cape Calvert to Bella Bella	48	345
From Bella Bella—		
To Ivory Island, Ent. Milbank Sd	21	366
From Ivory Island—		
To Jorkins Pt., Ent. Finlayson Chnl.	11	377
Jorkins Point to Wright Sound	64	441
From Wright Sound—		
To Kennedy Is. Mouth of Skeena	65	506
Kennedy Island to Cape Fox	55	561
From Cape Fox—		
To Marys Is. in Revillagigedo Chnl.	18	579
From Marys Islan !—		
To Cape Caamano, hd. Tongas Nar.	33	612
Cape Caamano to Fort Wrangel	75	687
From Wrangel—		
To Pt. Baker, Duke of Clarence Sts.	46	733
From Point Baker—		
To Cape Decision	31	764
To Cape Ommanney, Southern end of Baranoff Island	20	784
From Cape Ommanney—		
To Biorka Is. Ent. to Sitka Sound	55	839
Biorka Is. into Sitka, Alaska	16	855
From Portland, O., to Victoria, by sea		315 Miles.
do do Wrangel		1002 "
do do Sitka		1170 "
From Victoria to Wrangel		687 "
do do Sitka		855 "

[We are indebted to Mr. Goodhue, the accommodating and gentlemanly resident agent of the California, for the above table.—ED. COLONIST.]

FOOT BALL.—A game of football will be played at Beacon Hill at nine o'clock this morning between the scholars of the Reformed Episcopal and Collegiate Schools.

THE steamship California is due at this port from Alaska and Wrangel.

THE SALE AT LONDON HOUSE will last only eight days longer.

THE ALASKA sailed Tuesday for Victoria.

Jamaica.

A gloomy description of the condition of Jamaica appears in the London Standard. Trade is described at a standstill, without any hope of revival. Industry continues to decline in an ever increasing ratio of diminution. Property is absolutely unsaleable. The returns of the last quarter, it is reported, will exhibit the falling off in the year's revenue to the extent of £100,000—that is, of one-fifth of the annual estimated income. The only progress, we are told, is in crime and vagrancy. The negro population, for whose sake so much has been done, are depicted as steadily deteriorating in moral character and in industrial habits. There is a general census of opinion, in fact, that, bad as was the state of the island under the old representative institutions, it is greatly worse under what was supposed to be the reformed system of government, administered under the direct control of the Imperial authorities. Coolie importation from Asia is set down as the only remedy.

You have 208 bones and 600 muscles, your blood weighs 25 pounds, your heart is 5 inches in diameter, beats 70 times per minute, 4,200 times per hour, 100,800 per day. At each beat a little over two ounces of blood is thrown out of it; and each day it receives and discharges about 7 tons of that wonderful fluid.

Two sable philosophers took shelter under the same tree during a heavy shower. After some time one of them complained that he felt the rain. 'Neber mind,' replied the other: 'dere's plenty of trees; when dis un is wet through, we will go to the other.

WE HAVE DETERMINED to close the sale at London House on the 1st December, and with a view to a speedy clearance, will allow off the present reduced prices a discount of 5 per cent. on all purchases for cash of $5 and upwards. The stock we now offer comprises goods adapted to the present season, and of the best and most useful descriptions. This is the last opportunity our friends will have of buying at such advantageous prices.

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London House, 1st Nov., 1877.

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AUCTION SALE.

The Pre-emption Claim formerly held by J. C. Brown, in the Comox District, will be sold by Public Auction

On Friday, 7th of December next,

If not disposed of by private sale before that date.

For particulars and extent of claim apply to the undersigned.

W. R. CLARKE & CO.,
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Victoria, Nov. 10, 1877 no11

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A MANIFOLD LETTER WRITER IN black leather covers. Its owner will be obliged if the finder will leave it at THE COLONIST Office. no7

Strayed.

A BLACK AND WHITE HOG, WITH PART of its left ear cut off. If not claimed within 10 days it will be sold to defray expenses.

Apply to H. KING,
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Victoria, Nov. 10th, 1877. no11*

Auction Sales.

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REAL ESTATE.

MORTGAGEE SALE

Tuesday, Nov. 27th, 1877

AT 12 O'CLOCK, NOON.

J. P. Davies & Co.

Have received instructions to sell by Public Auction at salesrooms, Wharf St., under power of a certain Mortgage dated 12th July, 1875, all that certain Piece or Parcel of Land lying and situate on Johnson street, between Douglas and Blanchard streets, in the City of Victoria, B.C., and more particularly described as

TOWN LOT No. 144, BLOCK V.

As such is laid down upon the Official Map, together with the Improvements thereon.

By order of the Official Administrator,
H. S. MASON, Esq.

VICTORIA WEST, LOTS 6 & 7.

All those certain pieces or parcels of land lying and being situated in Victoria West and known as Sub-divisions numbers six (6) and seven (7) in Block B. of Section XXXI in the above District, as per plan deposited in the office of the Registrar General, V.I.

LAKE DISTRICT.

LXI and LXXI, 187 ACRES.

All those certain pieces or parcels of land lying and being situate in Lake District, and known on the Official Map of the same as Section

LXI, containing 89 Acres.
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Deeds at Purchaser's Expense.

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CORNER YATES AND DOUGLAS STREETS,
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THIS HOTEL, WHICH WILL BE FOUND one of the best in Victoria, will be opened today under the superintendence of

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The House has been put in perfect order; the Furniture, Carpets, etc., are all new, and the services of a first-class Cook have been secured for the culinary department.

Board & Rooms at Reasonable Rates.
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J. T. PAPST,

FORT STREET,

(Store formerly occupied by J. Bagnall & Co.)

FAMILY GROCER

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Provision Dealer.

Goods Sent to Any Part of the City.
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French Cook.

THE UNDERSIGNED OFFERS HIS SERvices to families for Special Dinners.

Apply at Mons. Ferrand's store, corner of Broad and Johnson streets.
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TAKE NOTICE.

THE PARTNERSHIP HERETOFORE EXisting between Cameron and Borde, as Blacksmiths, Farriers and Horse-shoers, having been dissolved by mutual consent, the business in future will be carried on at the old stand on Cormorant St., by Borde & Morley, who have entered into partnership for that purpose, and who hope for a continuance of past favors. no1

Notice to Sportsmen

CHARLES PARDOE

(Late with H. Short, Gunsmith,)

HAS REMOVED TO THE SECOND DOOR east of Langley & Co's, and has on hand

Fishing Tackle,

FIREARMS of Every Description,

AMMUNITION, Etc.

Guns Made to Order and Repaired.

YATES STREET, VICTORIA. no17

BLOATERS ON THE ROCKS,

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GENUINE BLOATERS FOR SALE CURED by the

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Also—No. 1 Smoked Herring.

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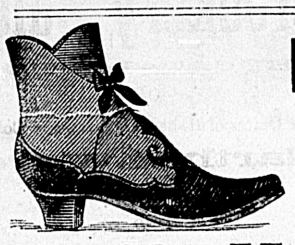

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H. MANSELL

Has received LARGE ADDITIONS to his already

Well Selected Stock of

BOOTS & SHOES,

Which he offers at the LOWEST CASH PRICES.

Boots Made to Order. Repairing Neatly Done.

☞Country Orders promptly attended to☜

Government Street, Victoria, opp. the Postoffice.

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WHOLESALE AND RETAIL

BUTCHERS,

S. E. Cor. of Government & Johnson Streets,

PURVEYORS BY SPECIAL APPOINTMENT TO

THEIR EXCELLENCIES THE EARL & COUNTESS OF DUFFERIN, AND HIS HONOR THE LIEUT.-GOVERNOR.

The Largest and Choicest Assortment of

ALL DESCRIPTIONS OF MEAT, VEGETABLES AND STOCK CONSTANTLY ON HAND.

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HENRY SHORT,

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Has received from London direct, a Large Assortment of

DOUBLE AND SINGLE BARRELLED GUNS,

Central Fire Breech-Loaders,

FISHING TACKLE IN GREAT VARIETY,

Pocket and Sporting Cutlery, Powder Flasks, Shot Pouches, Game Bags, Cartridge Belts, Apparatus for Filling Cartridges for Breech-loaders and a full assortment of Gun Tackle.

GUNS MADE TO ORDER. REPAIRING NEATLY EXECUTED

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Miscellaneous.

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PIANOFORTE & MUSIC

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Messrs. Bagnall & Co.

HAVE REMOVED FROM THEIR old premises so long known in Fort street, to the new Brick Building, opposite London House, where they will keep the largest stock of

PIANOS, ORGANS, MUSIC

And General Musical Merchandise

Ever exhibited in the Province.

☞ Pianos and Organs Tuned and Repaired.☜

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Assessment Act, 1876.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Tax under the provisions of the Assessment Act, 1876, is past due, and all parties whose Taxes are unpaid are hereby required to call at the Collector's office Government street, and pay the same forthwith, otherwise the amounts so due will be collected with costs.

my8 J. E. McMILLAN, Collector.

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ALSO—A Full Assortment of

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ON HAND AND TO ARRIVE.

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JUST RECEIVED AND FOR SALE BY

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Successor to S. Duck,

CARRIAGE BUILDER & BLACKSMITH,

n21 JOHNSONSTREET, VICTORIA, B. C.

George Morison

BEGS TO ANNOUNCE THAT HE HAS refitted his store and re-opened with a

FRESH SUPPLY OF

Drugs and Medicines,

And is now prepared to meet the demands of the public.

☞ Physicians' Prescriptions Carefully Compounded. oc19

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Mr. John Teague,

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Quadra Coal Depot,

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THE QUADRA COAL WILL BE FOUND A first rate article for family use, and will be

Delivered to any part of the City at $8 per Ton.

Orders for Coal left the office of

H. F. HEISTERMAN,
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Or on the Wharf, will receive prompt attention.

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W. G. BOWMAN'S CARRIAGE will be found from this date in front of his Livery Stable on Yates street.

July 11th, 1877. jy12

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MR. WELTON, JANITOR OF THEATRE Royal, will attend to posting and distributing bills of every description in Victoria and vicinity Orders may be left at THE COLONIST Office. de2

Highest Cash Price

PAID FOR

Furs and Deer Skins.

THE BUSINESS OF L. & J. BOSCOWITZ will be continued as heretofore at the present premises, Wharf street. se30

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YOUNG LADIES' DAY SCHOOL,

KANE STREET, VICTORIA.

MRS. BUSHELL RESPECTFULLY ANnounces that she will commence giving instruction in the various branches of education on Monday, September 24th.

Boys from Six years to Ten.

Instruction on the Pianoforte as usual.

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CLASSES FOR YOUNG LADIES HAVE been commenced in the house situated on the corner of Kane and Quadra sts., by competent teachers, under the immediate supervision of the Rev. E. Cridge and Mrs. Cridge.

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"QUARTZ ACT, 1877."

THE SUM OF FIFTEEN THOUSAND Dollars will be paid by the Government of British Columbia to "The Company which first erects, at some place north of the Quesnelle River within the Electoral District of Cariboo and in the neighborhood of some well defined Quartz Ledge, a good and sufficient Ten Stamp Quartz Mill capable of crushing ten tons of Quartz per diem, to the satisfaction of the Lieutenant-Governor in Council," in accordance with the provisions of the "Quartz Act, 1877."

By Order,

T ELWYN,
Deputy Minister of Mines.

PROVINCIAL SECRETARY'S OFFICE,
31st May, 1877. jo1

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CARRIAGE MAKER

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Blacksmith,

GOVERNMENT STREET, bet. Johnson and Pandora.

IS NOW PREPARED TO MANUFACTURE Buggies and Carriages of all descriptions cheaper than can be imported.

Carriage Painting and Repairing Promptly attended to.

Also on hand and in course of construction a number of

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Which will be sold Cheap for Cash, or on approved credit. oc31

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WILL BE ALWAYS READY AT their old stand on Cormorant street to attend to this business in all its branches, and will shoe all horses entrusted to them with the greatest care.

Their work will be executed on the most scientific principles and

Interfering Horses

Will be shod according to the latest and most approved methods. no1

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To be Raffled

At M. W. WAITT & CO.'S STORE,

As Soon as all the Chances are Taken,

FOUR BEAUTIFUL OIL PAINTINGS AND one Water Color Drawing. Sixty-five Chances at $5 each.

First Prize—Two Large Oil Paintings, "On the Brent."

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Third Prize—Water Color Drawing, "On the Test."

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RAFFLE

OF THE

LARGEST NUGGET

EVER FOUND IN BRITISH COLUMBIA.

WEIGHT - - - - - - 72 OUNCES.

300 Chances at $5 per Chance.

The Raffle will take place on Christmas Eve.

TICKETS (which contain a fine photograph of the Nugget) can be purchased at the Adelphi Saloon, Frank Campbell's, and at Jewellery Store, where the Nugget is on exhibition.

Tickets can also be obtained through Wells, Fargo & Co. no10

RAFFLE

At the Adelphi Saloon.

THREE SPLENDID PRIZES!

First—A Gold Watch and Chain.

Second—A Gold Specimen valued at $125.

Third—A Beautiful Shell Castle made by a Lady of Victoria.

The manner of throwing to be arranged and advertised previous to the Raffle coming off.

The number of Chances to be 175 at $2 each, and the raffle to come off as soon as all the Chances are taken.

Prizes now on view at the Adelphi Saloon. no7

LOVETT'S

ANNUAL RAFFLE,

TO COME OFF DECEMBER 2nd, AT THE Pavilion Skating Rink.

1st Prize—A Large Diamond 5¼ carat Ring and Pin, worth $1000; the winner can take $900 in Gold Coin or Diamond. Coin will be put up at the Raffle.

2nd Prize—A very Fine Jules Gorgerson Watch, Independent Second Hand. Cost $300.

Lowest Throw takes the Diamond Slide, Cost $300.

Next Lowest—A Fine Gold Hunting Watch, Stem-Winder, Cost $130.

EVERY ARTICLE PUT UP AT COST.

A Committee will be appointed on the night of the Raffle by parties concerned. Those who are not satisfied will receive their money back.

No Tickets will be considered good unless paid for previous to the Raffle. Persons abroad have the same chance with those present. Parties can Purchase Tickets through Wells, Fargo & Co's Express.

Under no circumstances will any person be bored to purchase Tickets.

Returns must be made on the 25th November, 1877

The Prizes can be seen in Mr. Rudolph's Jewelery Store.

692 CHANCES at $2 50 EACH.

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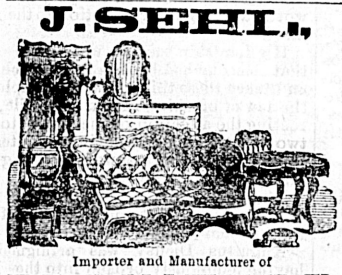

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Of the Finest Description, all of the Latest Styles, which I am enabled to sell at LOWER PRICES than ever before offered in the Province.

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Spring, Hair, Patent Curled Wool, Eureka and other MATTRESSES made to order by a first-class Upholsterer,

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WE HAVE AGAIN TO CALL YOUR ATtention to the numerous

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MYRTLE

Navy Tobacco!

DON'T BE DECEIVED. THE STAMP

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Walnuts,

FOR SALE BY THE UNDERSIGNED AT five and a half cents per pound. Guaranteed.

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Dr. High Kay,

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CURES ALL THE ILLS THAT FLESH IS heir to with neatness and dispatch. no8

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Lame Back,	Contracted Cords,
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Earache,	Diarrhœa,
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Gout,	Sores,
Swellings,	Burns and alds,
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AND ALL NERVOUS AND INFLAMMATORY ACHES AND PAINS.

DR. STEELE, who has for years been in the Proprietory Medicine business, and who has traveled in various parts of the world in search of information, has great confidence in the ERADICATOR as the "Ne Plus Ultra" of safe, sure and reliable remedies for general use as a Family Doctor.

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COLLIERY.

THE UNDERSIGNED ARE PREPARED to

Supply Cargoes of

WELLINGTON COAL

At Their Wharves,

DEPARTURE BAY

AS HERETOFORE.

DUNSMUIR, DIGGLE & CO'Y

DEPARTURE BAY, 7th June, 1877.

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CROCKERY, GLASSWARE

Cutlery, Carpets

And all kinds of

HOUSE FURNISHING GOODS

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Conveyances of every description done at reasonable rates. de1

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Goods delivered to any part of the city

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Leaves Esquimalt for Victoria at 9½ a m. and 1½ and 5½ p.m.

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30,000 Fruit Trees,

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RATES:

Board per Week	$5 00
Board and Lodging per week	6 00
Board and Lodging per Day	1 00
Single Meals	37½

☞ Private Sitting-room for Ladies.☜

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Occidental Hotel,

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WHARF STREET, near JOHNSON.

HAVING LEASED THE ABOVE PREMISES and Renovated and Refurnished them in a superior style, I shall open the establishment on

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For the accommodation of Travelers and Families.

First-class Meals	25 cents.
Good Beds	25 cents.
Board and Lodging per week	$6.

no7 W. JENSEN, Proprietor.

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HOTEL and RESTAURANT,

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First Class Hotel and Restaurant.

THE UNDERSIGNED WILL CONDUCT THE above establishment as a first-class Hotel and Restaurant. CHARGES:

Board and Lodging per week from.....$5 to $9.

Meals from.....50 cts. to $1.

Private Dining Rooms for Ladies and Families.

Dinners ordered in advance will receive special attention.

BILLIARDS.

The Best Wines, Liquors & Cigars will be dispensed.

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YATES STREET, NEAR BLANCHARD,

One of the Pleasantest Locations in Victoria.

THIS HOUSE HAS BEEN REFITTED AND Refurnished from top to bottom, and is now one of the most comfortable hotels in Victoria.

Excellent Accommodation is offered to Families and others.

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Single Meals	37½
Beds	50

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GENTLEMEN VISITING ESQUIMALT WILL find the best of

Wines, Liquors and Cigars, Good Beds and Meals,

To be had at the GLOBE INN.

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THE MOST COMMODIOUS AND CLEAN Hotel in Victoria. It is conducted on the European principle. The table is supplied with the very best the market affords.

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TERMS—Cash in advance.

☞Fire-proof Safe in the House.☜

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TRANSFERRED TO THE

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First-Class Hotel and Restaurant.

SPECIAL ACCOMMODATION FOR FAMILIES.

Private Dining Rooms and Parlors.

BILLIARDS.

Nothing will be spared to render the guests as comfortable as any house on the Pacific Coast.

None but the very best (directly imported) Wine Liquors and Cigars will be dispensed.

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ANGEL HOTEL.

Langley St, Victoria, B. C.,

FRED. CARNE, - - - - Proprietor

RATES OF CHARGES:

Board and Lodging per Week	$6 00
Board per Week	5 00
Board and Lodging per Day	1 00
Single Meals	37½
Beds	50

☞ A Fireproof Safe in the House. se3

ROCK BAY HOUSE

BETWEEN THE TWO BRIDGES,

ESQUIMALT ROAD.

IS ONE OF THE MOST COMFORTABLE Wayside Houses in the Province; and being furnished with the very best

ALES, WINES, LIQUORS & CIGARS

Is a favorite stopping-place for persons bound to and from Victoria.

My friends are invited to give me a call.

ap30 3m GUS. KOLP

WHY PAY 50 cents for a MEAL,

When you can procure a

Good Meal for 25 Cents

AT THE

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HAS REMOVED

To Johnson street, one door East of Eastman's Butcher Shop.

Manufactures Drawers, Undershirts, Overalls, etc., which he offers for sale by Wholesale and Retail, at Low Rates. e11

NOTICE.

FROM AND AFTER THIS DATE I WILL only accept Coin for Rent, as well as for other Payments to be made to me.

de30 L. LOWENBERG

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M. & H. A. FOX

DESIRE TO GIVE NOTICE that they have removed their stock of

CUTLERY,

ELECTRO PLATE, LAMPS, &C.,

To Bagnall & Co's New Music Establishment, opposite London House,

Where they will continue their business as usual.

Thanking the public for past favors, they respectfully solicit a continuance of the same. no4